

MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

February 7, 2008

10:30 a.m.

307 House Office Building

The Chair called the meeting to order.

Present were: Reps. Hopgood, Griffin, Accavitti, Bieda, Donigan, Ebli, Leland, Mayes, Miller, Young, LaJoy, Casperson, Nitz, Pavlov, Stahl, Knollenberg.

Absent and excused was Rep. Pearce.

Rep. Miller moved to excuse the member that was absent. The motion prevailed.

Rep. Young moved to approve the minutes of the meeting held December 13, 2007. The motion prevailed.

Chair Hopgood laid before the Committee HB 4505 - Ward - Traffic control; driver license; disclosure of citizenship on driver license; require.

The following people testified in support of HB 4505.

Sarah Hubbard from the Detroit Regional Chamber of Commerce
Mike Boulus from the Presidents Council, State Universities of Michigan
Chris Mitchell from the Michigan Health & Hospital Association
David Stevens from American Mitsuba Corporation

The following people filled out testimony cards in support of HB 4505 but did not want to testify.

John Van Fossen representing the Van Andel Institute and Right Place Inc.
Kirk Profit representing Chrysler Corporation
Bret Marr representing Ilitch Holdings
Colin Ford from the Michigan State Medical Society
Dana Hill from Wayne State University
Wendy Block from the Michigan Chamber of Commerce
Rob Anderson from Farm Bureau
Chuck Hadden from the Michigan Manufacturers Association
Cynthia Wilbanks from the University of Michigan
Lynn Weimeister from Beaumont Hospitals
Peter Briggs from Michigan State University
Sgt. Matt Bolger from the Michigan State Police
Joe Neller from the Michigan Academy of Family Physicians

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Joe Sproles from the Alliance of Automobile Manufacturers
Eric Henning from General Motors
Charlie Pryde from Ford Motor
Terry Vanderveen representing the Robert Bosch Corporation

The following person filled out a testimony card in opposition to HB 4505.

Nada Ahmed from the St. Vincent Refugee Office.

Chair Hopgood recessed the meeting until 11:45 a.m., the time being 11:25 a.m.

Chair Hopgood reconvened the meeting and announced that a quorum was present, the time being 11:45 a.m.

Rep. Accavitti moved to adopt the substitute H-3 to HB 4505. The motion prevailed, the vote being 10-0-6.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Hopgood, Griffin, Accavitti, Donigan, Ebli, Leland, Mayes, Miller, Young, Nitz,

Nays: None,

Pass: Reps. LaJoy, Casperson, Pavlov, Stahl, Knollenberg.

Rep. Miller moved to report out HB 4505, substitute H-3, with the recommendation that it pass. The motion prevailed, the vote being 11-0-6.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Hopgood, Griffin, Accavitti, Bieda, Donigan, Ebli, Leland, Mayes, Miller, Young, Nitz,

Nays: None,

Pass: Reps. LaJoy, Casperson, Pavlov, Stahl, Knollenberg.

Chair Hopgood laid before the Committee the following 3 bill package.

HB 5535 - Tobocman - Traffic control; driver license; motor vehicle code; revise to include federal hemisphere travel initiative.

HB 5536 - Clemente - Criminal procedure; sentencing guidelines for fraudulent certification or statement in applying for enhanced driver license or enhanced state identification card.

HB 5537 - Huizenga - State identification cards; personal identification cards; revise requirement for application.

Chair Hopgood recognized Rep. Tobocman, Rep. Clemente, and Rep. Huizenga to explain their bills.

The following people filled out testimony cards in support of HB 5535, HB 5536 and HB 5537 but did not want to testify.

Sarah Hubbard from the Detroit Regional Chamber of Commerce
Chris Mitchell from the Michigan Health & Hospital Association
Charlie Pryde from Ford Motor
Joe Sproles from Alliance of Automobile Manufacturers
Peter Ruddell representing Central Michigan University and Henry Ford Health System
Brian DeBano from the Secretary of State
Melissa Malbrman from the Secretary of State
Terry Vanderveen representing the Robert Bosch Corporation

Rep. Griffin moved to adopt the substitute H-1 to HB 5535. The motion prevailed, the vote being 15-0-2.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Hopgood, Griffin, Accavitti, Bieda, Donigan, Ebli, Leland, Mayes, Miller, Young, LaJoy, Casperson, Pavlov, Stahl, Knollenberg,

Nays: None.

Rep. Griffin moved to report out HB 5535, substitute H-1, with the recommendation that it pass. The motion prevailed, the vote being 15-0-2.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Hopgood, Griffin, Accavitti, Bieda, Donigan, Ebli, Leland, Mayes, Miller, Young, LaJoy, Casperson, Pavlov, Stahl, Knollenberg,

Nays: None.

Rep. Accavitti moved to report out HB 5536 with the recommendation that it pass. The motion prevailed, the vote being 15-0-2.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Hopgood, Griffin, Accavitti, Bieda, Donigan, Ebli, Leland, Mayes, Miller, Young, LaJoy, Casperson, Pavlov, Stahl, Knollenberg,

Nays: None.

Rep. Stahl moved to adopt the substitute H-1 to HB 5537. The motion prevailed, the vote being 15-0-2.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Hopgood, Griffin, Accavitti, Bieda, Donigan, Ebli, Leland, Mayes, Miller, Young, LaJoy, Casperson, Pavlov, Stahl, Knollenberg,

Nays: None.

Rep. Mayes moved to report out HB 5537, substitute H-1, with the recommendation that it pass. The motion prevailed, the vote being 15-0-2.

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FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Hopgood, Griffin, Accavitti, Bieda, Donigan, Ebli, Leland, Mayes, Miller, Young, LaJoy, Casperson, Pavlov, Stahl, Knollenberg,

Nays: None.

With no further business to come before the Committee Chair Hopgood adjourned the meeting, the time being 12:00 p.m.

Representative Hoon-Yung Hopgood, Chair

Mary Lou Terrien, Clerk